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Dear Sir:

The present *Supplemental Response* supplements the *Amendment* filed on January 28, 2008 (received by OIPE January 30, 2008), and is submitted further in response to the Official Action dated October 26, 2007.

The Applicant wishes to direct the Examiner's attention to the claims of U.S. Patent No. 5,837,614. The '614 patent is commonly owned by the Assignee of the present application. The '614 patent was submitted in the Information Disclosure Statement filed December 20, 1999, and considered by the Examiner on August 10, 2001. The claims of the '614 patent may be relevant to the features of the present independent claims.

Should the Examiner believe that anything further would be desirable to place this application in better condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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